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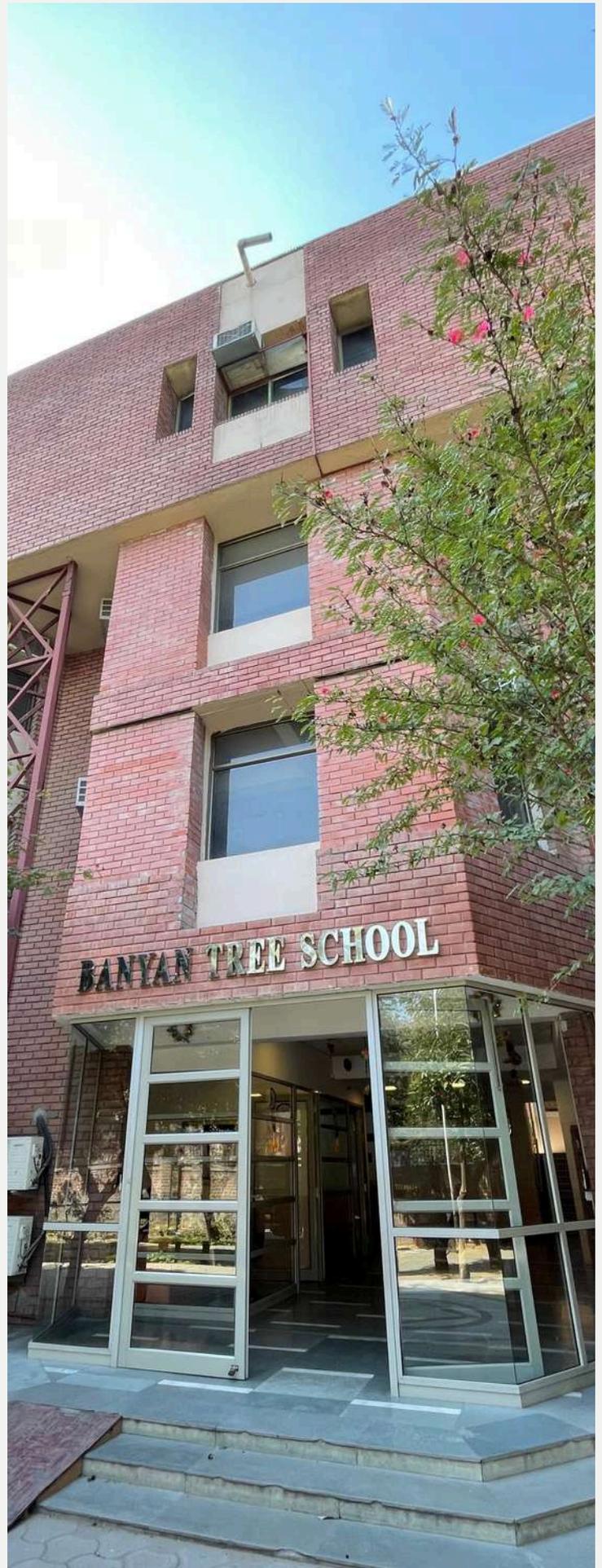
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We, at Banyan Tree School, strive to impart high-quality education which ensures to internally motivate students and aims for lifelong learning, allowing them to become well-rounded contributing members of society. We wish to not only be a part of a child's educational journey but also try to cater to allow students to reach their full potential. What we do at Banyan Tree School, New Delhi, goes hand in hand with our mission and vision.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Excellence is doing ordinary things extraordinarily well..!

At Banyan Tree, we endeavor to impart education that equips our students to keep pace with the rapidly transforming world and also give equal importance to the inculcation of worthy ethical values and principles.

The school provides a joyful, disciplined and secular learning atmosphere and embraces a myriad of activities where in the students are greatly encouraged to nurture their talent in arts, music, a variety of sports; simultaneously focusing on their scholastic developments. We are dedicated to creating an environment that nurtures not only academic excellence but also emotional intelligence, creativity and social responsibility.

The newsletter is a representation of the vivid, colourful and innovative ideas of our dear students. It is our effort to unfold the plethora of imagination of these creative minds through various initiatives and projects, as we inspire our students to think out of the box, explore new ideas and develop creative solutions.

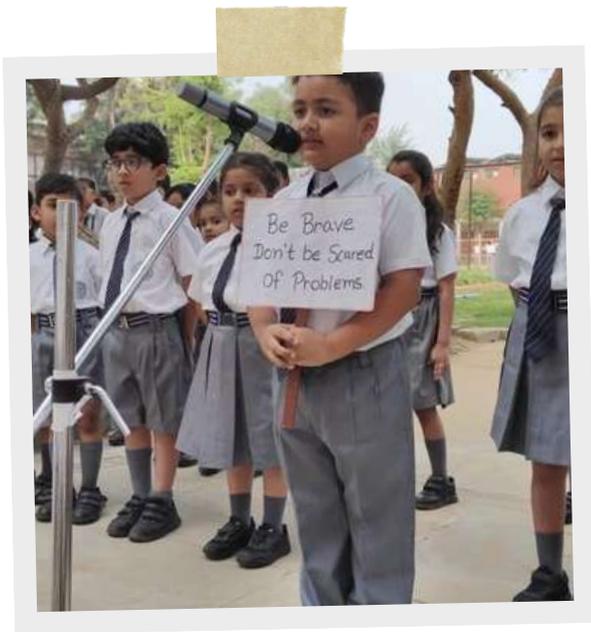
We recognize that fostering holistic development requires a collaborative effort. We, therefore, invite parents, faculty and community to nurture these next generation of leaders. By working together, we can create a supportive environment that allows our students to thrive academically, emotionally and socially.

Dear readers, as you cruise through this newsletter, you will sense a passion with which the students and the editorial team have contributed their thoughts and aspirations. Wishing you all a happy reading experience as you unfold the marvels of this brilliantly scripted edition..!

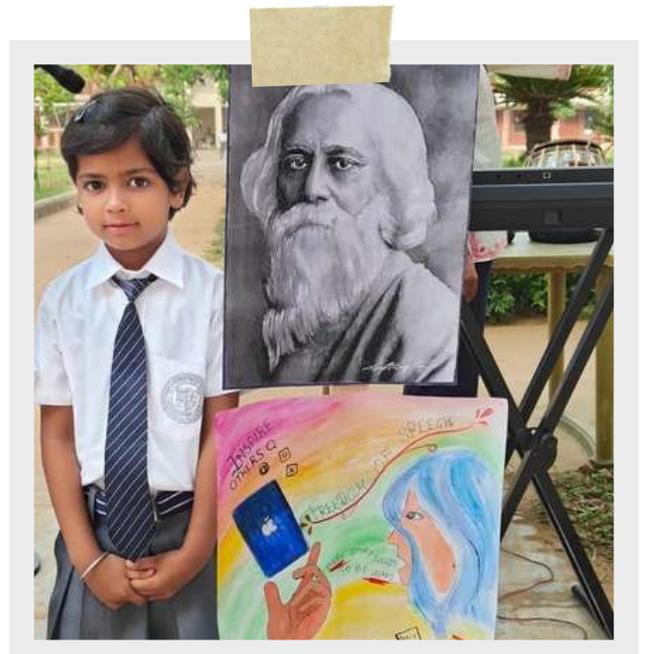
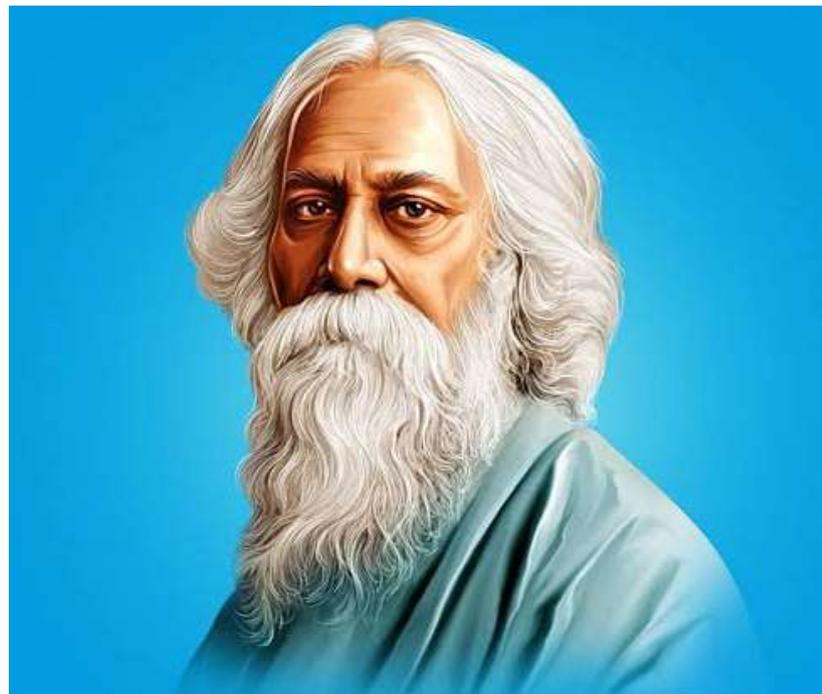


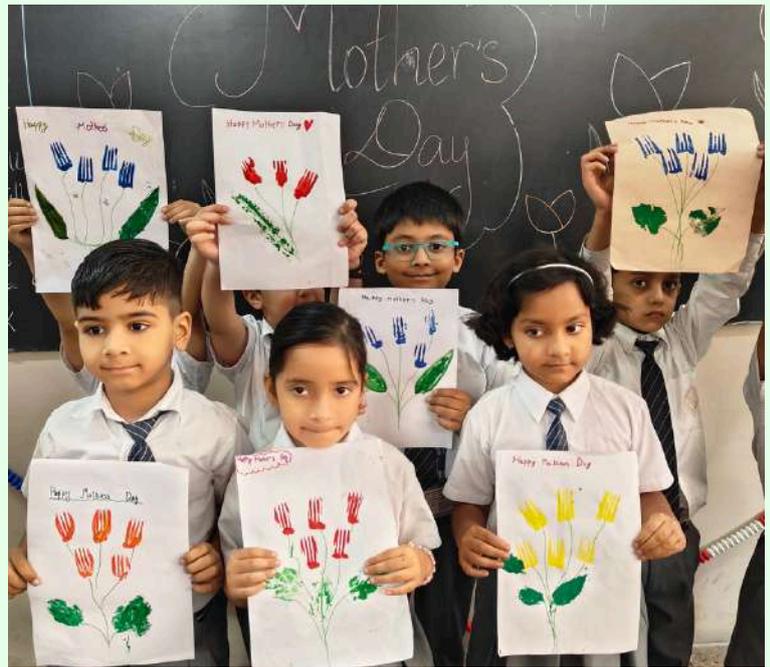
All About Me in Clay

Grade 1 students tapped into their creativity with a hands-on self-portrait activity using clay. Each masterpiece was a unique reflection of their personalities, combining imagination, self-expression, and the joy of sculpting!



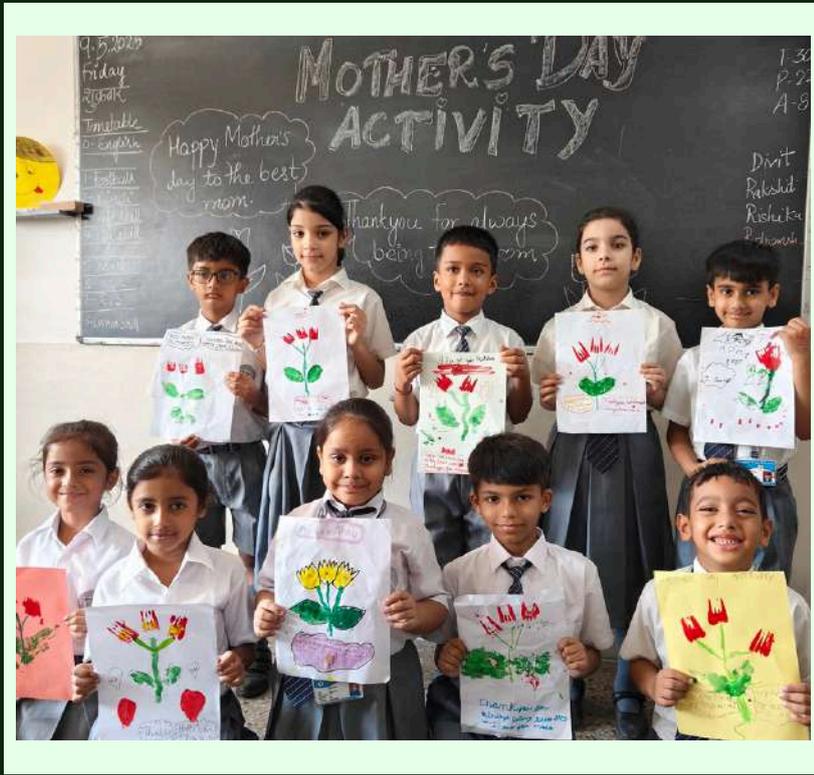
**Echoes of Tagore -
Grade 1A celebrated
the legacy of
Rabindranath
Tagore with a
heartfelt class
assembly. Through
poems,
performances, and
soulful expressions,
our little stars
honoured the Nobel
laureate's timeless
contributions.**





Moments for Mom
Our students celebrated Mother's Day with love and creativity. Classes Nursery to Class 5, each child crafted something special flip cards, wristbands, tulip art, tiaras, photo frames, and gratitude coupons all made with joy to honour their moms. A heartfelt tribute from little hands to loving hearts!





Navigate India – A Journey Through Culture

In the 'Navigate India' activity, Grade 5 was divided into four groups representing Punjab, Rajasthan, Bengal, and Tamil Nadu. Each group showcased their state's unique culture through traditional dress, food, dance, and music.

The activity helped the students to explore India's diversity while building teamwork and presentation skills. It was a fun and educational journey across our vibrant country!



Yellow Day Delight

Our pre-primary stars lit up Yellow Day with cheer and creativity, From sponge dabbing fruits to crafting vibrant sunflowers and butterflies, the day was packed with fun activities that boosted colour recognition, fine motor skills, and teamwork. Laughter, learning, and bright moments made the celebration a joyful success!





Dive Into Density

Grade 5 students explored the concept of density through a fun and interactive experiment. Using water, oil, and honey, they observed how liquids of different densities naturally form layers. They then dropped objects like a sponge and a grape to see where each would float or sink. Through this engaging activity, students discovered that denser objects sink while lighter ones float a simple yet exciting way to see science in action!



Honouring Helping Hands

The Primary Wing celebrated Labour Day with love and gratitude! Our young learners expressed heartfelt appreciation for community helpers through engaging activities like gratitude card-making, role plays, a vibrant helper hat parade, and the thoughtful creation of a community helper corner. A beautiful reminder that every helping hand deserves respect and thanks!

Summer Camp 2025:

A Season of Fun, Learning & Discovery!

Summer Camp 2025 was an unforgettable journey filled with excitement, creativity, and adventure! Over the course of the camp, children explored a diverse range of activities that kept them engaged, active, and inspired every single day.

Campers showcased their agility and coordination through dynamic Gymnastics sessions and built discipline and self-confidence in high-energy Martial Arts classes. The tech-savvy enjoyed Click, Code, Connect, where they learned the basics of programming through fun, hands-on projects that sparked their problem-solving skills.



Creative expression flourished in Art Attack, as young artists brought their imaginations to life with vibrant paints, crafts, and drawings. In the kitchen, campers had a blast during Tasty Treats, preparing simple, healthy snacks and learning essential culinary skills.



Sports enthusiasts thrived on the field and court with spirited matches and training in Football and Tennis, where they improved their skills, teamwork, and sportsmanship. Music and movement came alive in Rhythm and Beats, where campers explored instruments, rhythm, and joyful expression through sound.



Summer Camp 2025 was more than just a camp — it was a celebration of talent, friendship, and growth. Every child walked away with new skills, unforgettable memories, and a spark to keep exploring and learning all year long.

Bagless Saturday

A Day of Learning Beyond Books
Banyan Tree School celebrated yet another enriching Bagless Saturday, turning the campus into a hub of activity, creativity, and joyful learning.

The day began with energizing morning sports sessions, where students actively participated in football, badminton, basketball, and tennis. These outdoor games set a lively tone and encouraged teamwork and physical fitness.



This was followed by a variety of indoor games, helping students sharpen their strategic thinking, focus, and coordination in a relaxed setting. Later, students engaged in vibrant club activities. From art and theatre to reading, sustainability, and cooking without fire, each club offered hands-on experiences and self-expression. These sessions allowed students to explore their interests and build life skills in a fun, pressure-free environment.



The day concluded with skill education modules, where students learned handicrafts, tried their hand at block printing, and explored India's rich tradition of herbal heritage.

Bagless Saturday proved to be a perfect example of holistic, experiential learning, aligning beautifully with the spirit of the National Education Policy (NEP 2020).

Value Of Time - Every Minute Counts

The morning assembly on the theme “Value of Time – Every Minute Counts” was conducted by the students with great enthusiasm. It began with a soulful prayer, followed by an inspiring thought and the day’s news headlines. The highlight of the assembly was a meaningful skit and a brief monologue that emphasised the importance of time and how every minute holds value. Students conveyed the message that time, once lost, cannot be regained.



The Power Of Reading – Open Books, Open Minds



Students of Grade VI presented an inspiring and engaging assembly on the 6th May, 2025 on the theme “The Power of Reading – Open Books, Open Minds.” The assembly focused on how reading empowers us with knowledge and unlocks the door to imagination, creativity, and personal growth.

Through a series of thoughtful presentations and performances, the students illustrated how books can transport us to new worlds, spark curiosity, and broaden our understanding of life.



A captivating skit was the highlight of the program, depicting how reading can transform ordinary minds into extraordinary thinkers. The performance celebrated books as gateways to both wisdom and wonder—encouraging everyone to make reading a lifelong habit.

The assembly beautifully reinforced the message that open books truly open minds, nurturing both intellect and imagination in young learners.

Banyan Tree School organized a Sports Training Camp for Middle School students from 19th to 28th May 2025, offering daily one-hour session from 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM. The camp focused on skill development, physical fitness, mental acuity, and sportsmanship through five key disciplines: Football, Gymnastics, Lawn Tennis, Chess, Taekwondo, and Volleyball. Each day was dedicated to train the 34 participants so that they experience focused training in every area. Sessions began with warm-ups, followed by 40-minute skill drills and concluded with cool-down routines. Football emphasized ball control and shooting accuracy; Gymnastics included floor exercises and balance beam routines; Lawn Tennis focused on swings, serves, and volleys; Chess honed strategic thinking through openings and mini-games; Volleyball emphasized teamwork, serving, and passing.



The students were grouped for personalized attention, guided by coaches who tracked progress and encouraged individual growth. Key highlights included noticeable improvement in technical skills, enhanced concentration through chess, increased fitness levels, and a strong sense of teamwork and discipline. The camp's structured yet engaging format was appreciated by students and parents, successfully promoting holistic development through sport.

Summer Training Camp

SPECTRUM 2.0



Hosted by Banyan Tree School on May 15, 2025, the event was a resounding success in fostering critical thinking, collaboration, and effective communication among students.

Event Overview

- Theme: "Youth and the World Ahead"
- Topic: "Intergenerational Voice-outs: The Involvement of Older Generations is Insignificant for the Future Generations"
- Participants: Students of Classes IX to XII from leading Delhi schools
- Debate Competition: Students showcased research, critical thinking, and public speaking skills
- Judging Panel: Ms. Sangeeta Guha and Mr. Bhumitra Sharma provided valuable feedback and insights
- Best Speaker (For the Motion):
 1. Ishanvi (Tagore International School, Vasant Vihar) - 1st place
 2. Aania S. Mir (G.D. Goenka Public School, Vasant Kunj) - 2nd place
 3. Janhavi Ramavat (Springdales, Pusa Road) - 3rd place
- Best Speaker (Against the Motion):
 1. Meher Aggarwal (The Mother's International School) - 1st place
 2. Myra Jain (G.D. Goenka Public School, Vasant Kunj) - 2nd place
 3. Diva Jain (Springdales School, Pusa Road) - 3rd place
- Best Interjector:
 1. Vivaan Sethi (G.D. Goenka Public School, Vasant Kunj)

स्पेक्ट्रम 2.0



बैनियन ट्री स्कूल द्वारा 15 मई, 2025 को स्पेक्ट्रम 2.0 के अंतर्गत अंतर्विद्यालय हिंदी वाद-विवाद - डिजिटल तनाव का आयोजन किया गया।

कार्यक्रम का अवलोकन

- विषय: "डिजिटल तनाव और युवा मानसिक स्वास्थ्य"
- विषयवस्तु: "सोशल मीडिया का किशोरों के मानसिक स्वास्थ्य पर प्रभाव"
- प्रतिभागी: दिल्ली के प्रतिष्ठित विद्यालयों के कक्षा छठी से आठवीं के छात्र-छात्राएँ।
- वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता: प्रतिभागियों ने सोशल मीडिया के प्रभाव पर शोध, विश्लेषणात्मक कौशल और भाषण कला का प्रदर्शन किया।
- निर्णायक मंडल: श्रीमती कौमुदी शर्मा और श्रीमती सुधा पाठक ने मूल्यवान प्रतिक्रिया देकर वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता का मूल्यांकन किया

विजेताओं की सूची-

- प्रथम स्थान: पक्ष के लिए - माधव (के.आर. मंगलम स्कूल), विपक्ष के लिए - रिद्धु (के.आर. मंगलम स्कूल)
- द्वितीय स्थान: पक्ष के लिए - मृणालिनी नेगी, विपक्ष के लिए - आशिका भारद्वाज (टैगोर इंटरनेशनल स्कूल)
- तृतीय स्थान: पक्ष के लिए - चित्राक्षी (समर फील्ड स्कूल), विपक्ष के लिए - नंदिनी खंडेवाल (स्प्रिंग डेल्स स्कूल)
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